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Question

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Hi,

I have very recently started to work with Ensemble and have both the 2014 and the 2017 version.

To learn, I have created a small test flow that takes an xml file using EnsLib.EDI.XML.Service.FileService, sends it to a Process that transforms it with xslt into another format, and then passes it onwards to a EnsLib.EDI.XML.Operation.FileOperation Business Operation.

This is the code that I have before and when sending it onwards:

```
set tStatus=##class(%XML.XSLT.Transformer).
TransformStreamWithCompiledXSL(xmlStreamObj, tCompiledStyleSheet, .pOutput, err)
If $$$ISERR(tStatus) quit tStatus
if $$$ISERR(err) quit err
Do tCompiledStyleSheet.%Close()

Do pOutput.Rewind()
set xmlResultDoc=##class(EnsLib.EDI.XML.Document).ImportFromLibraryStream(pOutput, .tStatus)
If $$$ISERR(tStatus) quit tStatus

set tStatus=..SendRequestSync(..TargetConfigName,xmlResultDoc,.pResponse)
```

And this is how the settings on the BO looks like:

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The screenshot shows the configuration interface for the FileOperation class. The fields are as follows:

- File Path:** E:\Integration\lab\destination
- Format:** inC(UTF-8)
- Additional Settings:**
  - Schedule:** (empty dropdown)
  - Pool Size:** 1
  - Overwrite:**
  - Charset:** Native
  - Open Timeout:** 5
  - File Name:** %f

(I also tried adding a \ to the end of the file path)

This is the error message I get

```
ERROR <Ens>ErrGeneral: Failed to open for (over)write 'E:\Integration\lab\destination\': <NOTOPEN>zopen+13
^EnsLib.File.OutboundAdapter.1
```

It seems that Ensemble ignores the %f even though the help instructions on the field says it's supported. I tried this in both Ensemble 14 and 17.

If I add a filename to the "File Path" field, it works and the file is created with the translated content, however, this is not a good solution since it requires me to predetermine the file name when creating the endpoint rather than dynamically taking the file name from the incoming file.

version: 2017.2.1.801.3

Am I doing it wrong or is it a bug in the FileOperation?

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